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FOR: METHOD FOR GROWING THIN NITRIDE FILM ONTO SUBSTRATE AND

THIN NITRIDE FILM DEVICE

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated January 21, 2009, reconsideration is respectfully requested in the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begin on page 4 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this response.